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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
FIRST COMMUNICATIONS, LLC FOR A)
CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND)
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE COMPETITIVE)
RESOLD INTEREXCHANGE)
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES IN THE)
STATE OF ARIZONA.)

DOCKET NO. T-20473A-06-0537

NOTICE OF FILING

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION

First Communications, LLC hereby files the attached affidavit of publication.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 23^d day of October 2006.

FIRST COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

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1 Original and 13 copies of the foregoing
2 filed this 23rd day of October 2006 with:

3 Docket Control
4 Arizona Corporation Commission
5 1200 West Washington Street
6 Phoenix, Arizona 85007

7 Copy of the foregoing hand-delivered/mailed
8 this 23rd day of October 2006 to:

9 Lyn Farmer, Esq.
10 Chief Administrative Law Judge
11 Hearing Division
12 Arizona Corporation Commission
13 1200 West Washington
14 Phoenix, Arizona 85007

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20 Ernest G. Johnson, Esq.
21 Director, Utilities Division
22 Arizona Corporation Commission
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**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR
A CERTIFICATE OF
CONVENIENCE AND
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE
COMPETITIVE RESOLD
INTEREXCHANGE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS
SERVICES BY FIRST COMMU-
NICATIONS, LLC**

DOCKET NO. T-20473A-06-0537
First Communications, LLC
("Applicant") has filed with
the Arizona Corporation Com-
mission ("Commission") an
application for a Certificate
of Convenience and Necessi-
ty ("Certificate") to provide
competitive resold
interexchange telecommuni-
cations services in the State
of Arizona. Applicant will be
required by the Commission
to provide this service under
the rates and charges and
terms and conditions estab-
lished by the Commission.
The application, report of the
Commission's Utilities Divi-
sion Staff, and any written ex-
ceptions to the Staff report
prepared by the applicant
are available for inspection
during regular business
hours at the offices of the
Commission located at 1200
West Washington Street,
Phoenix, Arizona, 85007, and
at Applicant, First Commu-
nications, LLC, 3340 West Mar-
ket Street, Akron, Ohio
44333.

A.R.S. § 40-282 provides that
the Commission may act on
an application for a Certifi-
cate to provide resold tele-
communications services
without a hearing, or with a
hearing, if one is requested
by any party. Applicant or
any other party must re-
quest a hearing within twen-
ty (20) days of the date of
this notice, or the Commis-
sion will rule on the applica-
tion without a hearing.

Under appropriate circum-
stances, interested parties
may intervene in the pro-
ceedings, and participate as
a party. Intervention shall be
in accordance with the
A.A.C. R 14-3-105, except that
all motions to intervene
must be filed on or within
twenty (20) days of the date
of this notice. You may have
the right to intervene in the
proceedings, or you may
make a statement for the re-
cord, if you have any com-
ments, mail them to:

The Arizona Corporation
Commission
Attention Docket Control
Re: First Communications,
LLC

T-20473A-06-0537
1200 West Washington Street
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

All Comments should be re-
ceived within twenty (20)
days of the date of this
notice.

If you have any questions
about this application or
have any objections to its ap-
proval, you may contact Con-
sumer Services Section of
the Commission at 1200
West Washington Street,
Phoenix, Arizona 85007, or
call 1-800-222-7000.

The Commission does not dis-
criminate on the basis of dis-
ability in admission to its
public meetings. Persons
with a disability may request
reasonable accommodations
such as sign language inter-
preter, as well as request
this document in an alterna-
tive format, by contacting
Linda Hogan, ADA Coordina-
tor, voice phone number
(602) 542-3931, E-Mail lhogan
(lhogan@azcc.gov). Re-
quests should be made as
early as possible to allow
time to arrange the
accommodation.

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THE ARIZONA REPUBLIC

STATE OF ARIZONA }
COUNTY OF MARICOPA } SS.

Kelly Howard, being first duly sworn, upon oath deposes
and says: That he is a legal advertising representative of the
Arizona Business Gazette, a newspaper of general
circulation in the county of Maricopa, State of Arizona,
published at Phoenix, Arizona, by Phoenix Newspapers Inc.,
which also publishes The Arizona Republic, and that the
copy hereto attached is a true copy of the advertisement
published in the said paper on the dates as indicated.

The Arizona Republic

October 18, 2006

Kelly Howard

Sworn to before me this
19TH day of
October A.D. 2006



KAREN WAY
Notary Public - Arizona
Maricopa County
Expires 08/31/09

Karen Way
Notary Public